COURSE SYLLABUS SP15 Internet Marketing BMK216 ONLINE

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The Professor reserves the right to change this syllabus at any time.

SCOPE OF COURSE: 3 Credit Hours BMK*216, Internet Marketing (3 credits)

This course introduces the student to this exciting, significant part of a business' marketing mix: marketing on the Internet. Students will use the Internet as a source for market research, a communication medium and as a distribution channel. Cyberspace is very fluid and every effort will be made to take full advantage of this medium. Some basic marketing and computer knowledge is necessary. *Prerequisites: Eligible for ENG*101 or permission of instructor*.

PROGRAM/DISCIPLINE LEARNING OUTCOMES CONTAINED IN COURSE

In today's competitive business environment, employers expect graduates to possess a certain skill set. The goal of the Business Division is to incorporate the following outcomes from each course:

Critical thinking, problem solving and analytical skills
Current technological skills
Interpersonal skills and awareness
Teamwork, team-building and project focus
Knowledge of ethical and legal business behavior
Awareness and respect for other perspectives
Global awareness and respect for other perspectives
Flexibility and adaptive to change
Personal productivity and organizational skills
Ability to understand your customer
Understand process management

IMPORTANCE OF COURSE IN PROGRAM/DISCIPLINE

Internet Marketing provides the student with the fundamentals of doing business and communicating through the Internet. Students will use the Internet as a source for market research, a communication medium and as a distribution channel. This course provides each student a firm business foundation and an opportunity to develop his/her own, unique philosophy and style of engagement. The Online channel is a fluid environment. This course will work on past, and current best practices with an eye to predicting consumer behavior. Emphasis will be

placed on strategic planning and analysis.

LEARNING OUTCOMES/OBJECTIVES:

The goal of the Internet Marketing course is for each student to develop an understanding of the basic practices of Online Marketing and its use as a tool in communication and sales. Also, the course provides students with the opportunity to:

- Analyze principles, techniques and major functions of the strategic marketing process of organizations
- Work independently and with others of diverse backgrounds
- Demonstrate proficiencies in reading, writing, listening, presentation and decision making
- Rationalize and present solutions to problems using business knowledge and knowledge from other academic disciplines
- Develop a sound ethical, philosophical and moral skill set necessary to succeed in business

Textbooks and other required readings/computer software/materials/library reserve room: <u>Social Media Marketing</u>, Cengage 2013, Barker, Barker, Bormann, Neher ISBN-978-0-538-48087-1

Evaluation methods

Assignments	20%
Discussion Board	20%
Quizzes	15%
Personal Paper	20%
Mid-term	10%
Final	<u>15%</u>
	100%

^{*}Refer to Course Catalog pg. 39 for Grade points/Letter grade.

Final Grades will be determined by applying the percentages listed above to the graded work submitted to meet course requirements. All graded work will be on Blackboard Assignments that are required to be submitted through the course Blackboard must be in the proper format for the given assignment.

Course Requirements:

Effort and Attitude – The entire class is based on the principles of a strong work ethic and a positive attitude.

Teaching Procedures:

The instructor will use a combination of discussions, case studies, group work, and lectures/video to cover the instructional objectives and topics. There will be group work and full participation is expected. Assignments will be reviewed for content and clarity. Criteria for

grading will be openly discussed and rubrics will be online for your review and to download. Coursework will not be accepted after the due date without written consent prior to the due date. Students must complete all coursework even with an excused absence.

COLLEGE POLICY

All policies are presented in the College Catalog.

Class Cancellation

In the event that the instructor cannot meet the class, every attempt will be made to inform students in advance. In the event of inclement weather, please refer to the radio or TV for announcements or call the college telephone number 860-343-5888. If you are outside the direct dialing area, call 1-800-818-5501.

IMPORTANT COLLEGE POLICIES!! PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!

For information about the college's policies and procedures regarding academic honesty, accessibility/disability services, attendance, audio-recording in the classroom, grade appeals, plagiarism, religious accommodations, weather and emergency closings, and more, please go to the following website: www.mxcc.edu/catalog/syllabus-policies/ or scan the QR code with your smart phone. Also, please become familiar with the policies regarding nondiscrimination, sexual misconduct, and general student conduct at the following website: www.mxcc.edu/nondiscrimination/.

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The following people have been designated to handle inquiries or complaints regarding non-discrimination policies and practices:

Primary Title IX Coordinator

Dr. Adrienne Maslin

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Expected Course Conduct

All resources and facilities of Middlesex Community College, including the computer classroom sites, are to be used solely for legitimate and authorized academic purposes. Any unauthorized or illegitimate use of the computer systems, resources, and/or facilities will be subject to disciplinary action.

- => NO FOOD OR DRINK is to be brought into the classroom at any time.
- => CHILDREN are not allowed in the classroom at any time while you attend class.
- => PERSONAL ITEMS should be kept with you when you leave the classroom.
- => NO CELL PHONES OR BEEPERS are allowed in the classroom. Please turn off the ringers.

Students Responsibilities to the Course

- You will be responsible to prepare for each class session (all readings complete and assignments done)
- You will be responsible to prepare for the exams
- You will be expected to treat each other and the instructor with respect
- You will be expected to conduct yourself in an appropriate manner while you are in attendance in this course
- You will be responsible for the reasonable care of the computer equipment used in conjunction with this course